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SECRETARY

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EDITOR OF OFFICIAL PUBLICATIONS
ASSISTANT TO THE SECRETARY

PRINCETON, NEW JERSEY

May 25, 1917.

Dear Sir:

Will you not be good enough to advise me if you expect to wear your own academic costume at the exercises on Saturday, June sixteenth? If you wish the University to provide one for you please let me know, as soon as possible, your height and the size of your hat.

Respectfully yours,

Secretary.

To

President Robert A. Falconer,
Toronto, Canada.

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May 28th, 1917

Mr. C. A. McAlpin,

Secretary, Princeton University,

Princeton, N.J.

Dear Mr. McAlpin:

On my return from Ottawa I find your letter stating that you have changed the date of Commencement from Tuesday, the 19th of June, to Saturday, the 16th June. This makes no material difference to my plans.

I will take my own gown and cap for the graduation ceremonies. I understand that the University will supply a hood.

I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.

October 14th, 1916

Rev. S. J. MacArthur,

Newcastle, N.B.

Dear Mr. MacArthur:

I do not know any one in Woodstock, but I am to be there next Thursday, and if I see any one to whom I could speak when I am there I will be glad to say a word on your behalf.

With kind regards, I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.

May 4th, 1917

Mr. A. J. McBride,

76 Ridgely Hall, Cambridge, Mass.

Dear Mr. McBride:

I am glad to get your letter. I remember you quite well, and I am sure that you will find great satisfaction in being at liberty now to take your part actively in endeavouring to put down this terrible menace which has been threatening the world for so long. We have certainly paid a heavy toll in Canada; so many of our best have gone, but we hope that by the cost we have paid those who come after us will have a richer heritage. Surely all this sacrifice cannot be for nothing.

I am interested in what you say about Harvard.

Yours sincerely,

President.

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Frank McCarthy *Wilfrid M. Cox*

TELEPHONE MAIN 853

CANADA LIFE BUILDING
46 KING ST. W.
TORONTO, CANADA

June 18th, 1917.

Dear Sir:

We have pleasure in enclosing a copy of a ''Memorandum Concerning Recent Provincial Legislation and Executive Action in Canada with Special Reference to the Niagara Question in the Ontario Legislature.''

The Memorandum states with some fullness the economic as well as the legal and constitutional arguments against the Legislation in question.

The importance of the subject at the present moment seems to us to justify the circulation of the Document, in which we venture to believe you will be interested.

Yours very truly,

McCarthy & McCarthy

5 Oak St. Toronto. Oct. 147

Dear Sir:-

In reference to the matter I was speaking to you about by phone last evening here are the particulars of the case.

Pte. A. E. Belknap and myself were both students at Victoria College. Mr Belknap finished his third year in Theology. I finished my second. We both were members of the C. O. T. C. last college year and passed our efficiency exam last spring.

Feeling the call of duty to enlist I went to see Col Haggarty who was at that time was recruiting the 201st Batt with its high ideals; and promises were made of rapid promotion as he was very anxious for University men for ~~the~~ N.C.Os.. These promises did not materialize. we are in the ranks as privates as you know the 201st is broken up we are now in the 170 Batt.

We believe we can render a higher service to our King and Country by transferring back to the C. O. T. C and training for officers in the Imperial army.

We have made application for transfer through the 201st. and also the 170th but the 170th is now ordered for overseas and are not anxious to grant us the permission to transfer

If you can assist us in this work we would be very grateful to you as we believe a words from you would mean a great deal at the present time.

Sincerely

Pte. T. Q. McComb

D. Co.

170 Batt.

Camp Borden

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October 6th, 1916

Private J. A. McComb,

D Company, 170th Battalion,

Camp Borden.

Dear Mr. McComb:

I have spoken to Captain Needler about the desire of yourself and Private Belknap to be allowed to transfer into our Training Corps for Officers. Captain Needler informs me that he would be very much pleased to have you both join his Company, but that he could not ask the Commanding Officer of the 170th for this transfer. I, myself, feel that I am in a similar position, and have already found it necessary to refuse similar requests.

However, could you not take my letter to the Commanding Officer of the 170th from which he will see that if he is agreeable to the transfer we shall be very glad to have you join the University unit in order that you may get promotion from positions as privates to that of officers, which I think your previous training entitles you to ? I am sorry that in the circumstances I am unable to do anything more for you.

Yours sincerely,

President.

supply it better than I. His address is—

Dr. Parke Schoch
West Philadelphia Girls' High School
47th and Walnut St.
Philadelphia
Penna.

I am very anxious to enter the University in September. It is my ambition to study medicine, but I believe one year of the regular course is necessary first.

If you would be good enough to let me know what the outcome of my application is, I would be very grateful.

Sincerely, I am,
Hollie McCormick

Box 43
Wallingford
Pennsylvania

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112 Warren Road
Toronto
Dec. 31, 1916.

My dear Dr. Falconer

Yesterday Mr. Rundle was good enough to ask you about the college entrance requirements and you have asked me to let you know, in detail, what I have done.

The course, which I will complete in June 1917, is called the Latin Scientific. If a candidate for college passes her final examinations with an average of 80 or over, she is "certificated", to use the word

the schools in Philadelphia use.

The West Philadelphia High School for Girls issues a certificate which is accepted in Vassar, Wellsley, the University of Pennsylvania, in fact any college except Bryn Mawr, without further examination.

The Latin Scientific course comprises four years of Latin, (grammar, four books of Virgil, five of Caesar, the Orations of Cicero, the Manillian Law and a few of Ovid's poems and composition) four years of English (composition, grammar rhetoric, class study of poetry and prose and a collateral reading list) three years of

French (composition, grammar, conversation and translation of novels, poetry and plays) two years of science (one of general science and one of physics) two years of History (English - since of course American History is studied in the grammar schools) one year each of Physiology, Cooking and Sewing, four years of mathematics (Plane geometry and higher algebra)

I have taken - as an extra subject - one year of German. Otherwise my course has been perfectly regular.

In case you desire further information, perhaps the principal of my school might be able to

January 4th, 1917

Miss H. McCormick,

Box 43, Wallingford, Pa.

Dear Miss McCormick:

After consulting with our Registrar with regard to your letter I think that there would probably be no difficulty in having you accepted as a student in the first year in Medicine in the University. However, I should advise you that if you wish to practise in Ontario after receiving our degree it would be necessary to receive a license from the Ontario Medical Council, and one of their conditions is complete matriculation on the Ontario basis at the time of registration.

When you reply to this you might give me some more information as to what was included in your year of general science and how far you went in German.

Yours,

Yours sincerely,

President.

by taking one or two years in the regular college course leading to a B. A. In that case, would the conditions for complete matriculation or the Ontario basis remain the same?

You asked for more definite information about the work included in my year of general science. It included physical geography, botany and zoölogy. My work in German covered the work equivalent to first year conversation, grammar, composition and translation. It was my intention to continue German and French in college.

If you would be good enough to advise me on my plan to take preparatory work before the medical, I would appreciate it very much.

Sincerely, I am,
Hollie McCormick

Box 45
Wallingford
Pennsylvania

January thirteenth

My dear Dr. Falconer-

Your letter of January the fourth has given me much satisfaction and I appreciate your interest in the case.

But upon the advice of several physicians I feel it would be wiser probably not to begin directly upon the study of medicine. Although women are more and more generally accepted as doctors, still it is difficult to compete with men. In that case I should lay a firmer foundation

January 22nd, 1917

Miss Hollie McCormick,

Box 48, Wallingford, Pa.

Dear Miss McCormick:

I am sure that if you were to take one or two years in the regular college course leading to the B.A. degree you would fulfil all the conditions for matriculation required not only by the University of Toronto but also by the Ontario Medical Council, because in that case you could complete the subjects that are necessary.

If, for instance, you continue your French and German for one or two years in College you would then have completed the full requirements which are for Medicine: Latin, English, History, Mathematics, and any two of the following, Greek, German, French, experimental science.

As I remember your last letter it was only in a part of the science that you were short of the regular requirements. I should think that if you were taking first year looking forward to Medicine, seeing that you have completed your Latin, it would be well for you to take French, German and the Sciences,- Chemistry, Biology and Physics. You have already completed what is necessary in Mathematics, English and History, I believe. Of course if you had the time English would always be very desirable, but you should not overdo the work.

Yours sincerely,

President.

U.S.A.
Waterport, Oleans Co, N.Y.
Dec. 20. 1916.

The University of Toronto,
Toronto, Ont

I would dearly like to get "Varsity War Number Magazine" as described in The Mail & Empire of the 9th inst. I enclose one dollar. If that is not enough, advise me if you please, and I will send balance.

I am an ex-soldier. Served with the Grand Old Flag for thirteen years. (Seventy three years old)

Very truly Bro. Ally.
D. J. McCutcheon,
Waterport,
Oleans Co,
New York.
U.S.A.

December 21st, 1916

Mr. D. J. McCutcheon,

Watertown, N.Y.

Dear Sir:

Your letter asking for a copy of the "Varsity War Supplement" has come to me, and I have pleasure in sending you under separate cover a copy, which I hope will reach you in good condition.

The price of the Supplement is fifty cents, postage seventeen cents, and I return herewith your balance thirty-three cents .

Yours very truly,

President's Secretary.

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November 23rd, 1916

Rev. D. Bruce Macdonald,

St. Andrew's College,

Toronto.

Dear Dr. Macdonald:

I shall try to be in your office at a quarter to three on Thursday of next week. I hope that the day will be favourable in every respect.

With kind regards, I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.

Toronto, July 27, 1926.

J. K. MacDonald, Esq.,

Confederation Life Building,

Toronto.

Dear Mr. MacDonald:

Many thanks for your letter. It is very good of you to offer to take $1000 of the proposed stock should it be deemed advisable to secure others in order that we may secure a controlling interest in the paper to which I refer. I am somewhat doubtful, however, now whether it would be necessary to proceed. Yesterday we had a very interesting and long meeting of the Committee, of which you will receive minutes. We are going slowly and the first move will be to explain to the sessions what was involved in the action of the Assembly and to ask them to let the congregations know the real meaning of the basis, so that misapprehensions may be removed if possible. You are one of the Executive Committee which was appointed.

I hope you are enjoying your holiday and that the heat is not so bad with you as it has been here.

With kind regards, I am

Yours sincerely,

President.

Toronto, July 27, 1916.

Rev. P. M. MacDonald, M.A.,
Westminster Company, Limited,
Confederation Life Building,
Toronto.

My dear MacDonald:

I am sending you $25.00 as a subscription for the Bursaries Fund of Pictou Academy. As you are aware the demands at present are enormous and I am sorry that I cannot make it more.

With kind regards, I am

Yours sincerely,

President.

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Room 912 C.P.R. Building
Toronto.
Feb. 6th.1917.

Dr. R.A. Falconer,
University of Toronto.

Dear Sir:-

Lt.-Col. Guthrie the C.O. of the 236th. Battalion McLean Highlanders will be in Ontario for the week following the 18th. of February. Would it be possible to arrange a meeting of the students which he could address during that week.

The meeting would not be a recruiting meeting proper but a general review of the situation enlivened by stories of his experiences while in the second Battle of Ypres and on the torpedoed Hesperian.

Yours Sincerely.

W. M. G. Fulton Lieut
236th Bn

February 8th, 1917

Lieutenant N. C. McFarlane,

236th Battalion,

Room 412 C.P.R. Building, Toronto.

Dear Lieutenant McFarlane:

I am afraid that if Lt.-Colonel Guthrie were to address a meeting of the students in the University it might be difficult to avoid the impression that he was endeavouring to secure recruits for the 236th Battalion. Now I have no objection to any student recruiting in that Battalion, but we already have refused several requests from regiments who asked us to allow them to recruit here. We have an Artillery unit and an Overseas Officers' Training unit of our own who are constantly recruiting from among our own students, and it would hardly be fair to us to interfere with our own activies for which we are responsible by having another outside recruiting agency also appealing to the students.

I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.

France
Dec 29th 1916

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Bursar
Toronto University
Toronto

Dear Sir:—

Kindly inform me of the approximate number of University of Toronto graduates and undergraduates who have enlisted in overseas units since the commencement of the war

Yours very truly
W. McGee
S.P.S. 11

Lieut. W. J. McGhie
2nd Cdn. Pioneers
B.E.F. France

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January 17th, 1917

Lieutenant W. S. McChie,

2nd Canadian Pioneers,

B. E. F. France.

Dear Sir:

Your letter of December 29th addresses to the Bursar has been handed to me to answer.

Up to the present time there are 3450 graduates and undergraduates of the University of Toronto on active service, including 30 masters of the staff, some of whom are graduates.

Yours very truly,

President's Secretary.

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J. McMILLAN. Manager Telegraphs

Private. September 15th, 1916

D. McGillivray, Esq.,

Canadian Bank of Commerce, Halifax, N.S.

Dear Mr. McGillivray:

I was very glad to hear from you yesterday and to receive your enclosure with regard to Dr. Fraser Harris. The death of Dr. Brodie has been a severe loss, as he was undoubtedly one of the leading physiologists of the English-speaking world, and was cut off in the midst of most valuable research work. You will therefore realise that we must proceed with the greatest care in choosing his successor. It is quite unlikely that we shall make any permanent appointment for some time. At present we are on the point of making temporary arrangements with Dr. Mottram, who has been lecturing for a year in McGill. He is from Cambridge and I understand has done some good work.

I have often heard of Dr. Fraser Harris' ability and wide range of interests. The list of his publications that you send me is astonishing both by reason of their number and the different subjects upon which he has written. I will be glad to lay this application before the committee of my advisers in this matter, and doubtless Dr. Fraser Harris is well known to most of them.

We are very much crippled this winter through the absence of men of our staff on active service and thereupon the loss of men like Kylie and Brodie makes us feel even more keenly the position into which we have been brought by the war.

I hope that you and your family are keeping well. You will not have suffered with the extreme heat that we had here this summer.

Yours sincerely,

President.

September 20th, 1916

D. MacGillivray, Esq.,

Canadian Bank of Commerce,

Halifax, N.S.

Dear Mr. MacGillivray:

I am returning to you the testimonials of Professor Fraser Harris which I have read and have asked Professor Macallum also to read.

I wrote in my last letter that we shall not make any appointment for the present winter, having asked Dr. Nottram, recently from Liverpool and Cambridge, to take temporary charge of the work in Physiology as a Lecturer.

With kind regards, I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.

OUR EMBLEM

Ravenna Ont
July 11-1916

Dr R.A. Falconer
President
University of Toronto

Dear Mr President,

I am in receipt of a letter from the Bursar telling me I have been promoted from Associate Professor to Professor. I appreciate very greatly your kindness in recommending me for this promotion. It seemed that things would have to stand until the war would be over, and our attendance improved somewhat, I would not have been greatly surprised had this been the case

Please accept my thanks for this

promotion.

Wishing You a pleasant holiday,

I remain

respectfully Yours

Mulle Grover

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March 6th, 1917

R. J. MacInnes, Esq.,

Secretary, Pictou Academy.

My dear Mr. MacInnes:

Last autumn at the request of Mr. E. M. Macdonald I asked the Board of Governors of the University whether they would be willing to make an exceptional offer, such as exemption of class fees, to those who might come to the University as holders of a special Bursary from Pictou Academy. While the University would be very glad to have students from Pictou Academy, especially holders of such Bursaries, the Governors were of opinion that they could not establish the precedent of granting exemptions to Bursary holders from without the Province of Ontario. The only exemption which the University gives for undergraduate students is to those who come up for and take its own examinations and who are awarded its own Bursaries. To create any precedent beyond this the Governors thought a dangerous experiment. I do not need to assure you that I shall always be glad to help in any way any students who may come to us from Pictou Academy and to make it as easy for them as possible to get the best that we have to offer. They will always be welcome here.

Wishing you success, I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.

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April 27, 1917.

President Falconer,
Toronto University.

Dear Sir:

Can you tell me if the lectures given on Citizenship are published in leaflet form? If not, may I have them for publication?

Sincerely,

Jean O'Macdonald
Editor

April 30th, 1917

Miss Jessie MacIver,

Editor, "Woman's Century",

106 Yonge Street, Toronto.

Dear Madam:

The lectures on "Home and Citizenship" have [illegible] published as yet, [illegible] [illegible] will [illegible] [illegible]. I [illegible] you [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] will [illegible] [illegible] publication.

I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.

September 13th, 1916

A. Mackay, Esq.,

22 Meadowside,

Dundee, Scotland.

Dear Mr. Mackay:

I am placing copies of the appeal to all Britons Overseas, which you were good enough to send me, on the University bulletins, and I am also sending a copy to each of our university publications which are read by students and staff. It hope that it will be of some service.

Our second national loan of one hundred million dollars is now being subscribed and indications are that it will be as successful as the first, though the crops this year are for the most part failures in Ontario. Whatever is raised will bring good prices, and the manufacture and purchase of war materials have put a good deal of money into circulation.

I hope that when you come to the United States you will find time to visit Toronto and that we shall have a chance of seeing you. With kind regards to Mrs. Mackay, I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.

13 Prince Arthur Ave.,
Toronto, Dec. 15 '16.

The President,
University of Toronto.
Dear Sir,

The Registrar has advised me to apply to you concerning the second payment of the American Research Fellowship in Biochemistry. The Bursar requires your authorization before the second instalment may be paid, and your attention in this matter would be highly appreciated.

Yours truly,
A. L. McKay

May 3rd, 1917

[illegible], Esq.,

Imperial Oil Company,

Sarnia, Ont.

Dear Sir:

Will you kindly accept my deep thanks for the generous gift of two hundred and fifty dollars ($250.00) from the Imperial Oil Company for the work of the University Settlement? At the same time, I ask you to be good enough to express to Hon. W.J. [illegible] our great appreciation of his recommendation of this action?

Yours sincerely,

President.

39 Kensington Sq.
London.
5th July 1916

Dear President Falconer,

I thank you very cordially for your kind letter of 22d June. The sorrow for the loss of an only son, is mitigated by the knowledge that he has left a good record

behind him and that
his life has been given
for a great and righteous
cause. It is also a very
real consolation to me to
believe, with you, that a death
such as his, is but a
promotion to a higher
and happier service.

With good wishes,

I am yours sincerely

Geo. A. Mackenzie

February 27th, 1917

G. A. Mackenzie, Esq.,

7 Langhorn Gardens,

Folkestone, England.

Dear Mr. Mackenzie:

I have just received your letter containing the cheque for one hundred and fifty dollars which you have sent to the University. Let me thank you very sincerely for this remembrance of the University in connection with the career of your son. We shall of course devote it to some purpose that would be appropriate, though in making mention of it we shall observe your wishes and not place your son's name in connection with it. I shall need some time to consider how we may best appropriate the money so as to carry out the object that you have in view. The names of those from the University who have fallen will always be a sacred memorial, and we intend to perpetuate them in some way. I will write to you later when I have formulated some more definite proposal.

With kind regards, I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.

December 22nd, 1916

Rev. W. Douglas MacKenzie, D.D., LL.D.,

Hartford, Conn.

My dear Dr. Mackenzie:

I am very sorry indeed to know that you will not be able to preach for us on January 21st. We always look forward to your coming with a great deal of pleasure and our disappointment is the keener because of the reason that you give. I had not heard that you were in poor health and I hope that your trouble will be only temporary. I can quite realise that you must be sadly handicapped to have ill health as one of the conditions in which you must bear your heavy burdens.

We are distressed in Canada by the message of President Wilson. I believe that it has done more to alienate Canadian sentiment from the United States than anything that has taken place for many years. I cannot help but judging it as absolutely infelicitous, and Mr. Lansing's remarks were unintelligible to me. However, we can only keep on our own way, and I hope that when the war is over our relations with our neighbour to the South, which is near akin to us, will not be worse than they were.

With kind regards, I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.

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April 20th, 1917

Mr. A. P. MacKenzie,

10 Concord Avenue,

Arsenal Square,

Mass.

Dear Mr. MacKenzie:

Many thanks for your letter and the copies of the "Christian Science Monitor", portions of which I have already read. I intend to finish my reading at the first opportunity.

With kind regards, I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.

December 12th, 1916

Mrs. D. J. McKeown,

Box 211, North Bay, Ont.

Dear Mrs. McKeown:

I have made inquiries about your son, Mr. Justin McKeown, and am sorry to find that he did not secure his year in the recent examinations. His case, however, was considered by the Council and they are always [illegible] in this matter. All that I can do is to see that I look into the matter as carefully as possible and give as favourable a decision as I can that is within my power. If he will let me know when he will have the opportunity of [illegible] his work for another examination in the spring, when I hope that he will be successful.

Yours sincerely,

President.

June 5th, 1917

President Pearson,

Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

My dear President:

This is to introduce to you Mr. J. H. Parkin, who is on our staff in Mechanical Engineering, and who has been loaned to a large company in connection with the manufacture of munitions. Mr. Parkin wishes to investigate your School of Aeronautics, as the Board of Governors of the University of Toronto also has in view a report for us on the matter. Any facilities that you may put in his way, I know, would be still greatly appreciated.

Also kind regards and wish a happy summer, because of our conservation, I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.

December 12th, 1916

J. S. McLean, Esq.,

The Barrie Abattoir Company,

West Toronto.

Dear Mr. McLean:

I am sending to the Manager of the Union Stock Yards the letter which you have dictated. I hope there will be some return.

Only $25.00 came in from the F.N.Ellis Company. I have sent out some other letters since.

Yours sincerely,

Treasurer.

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December 14th, 1916

J. S. Nelson, Esq.,

Harris Brothers Company,

Toronto.

Dear Mr. Nelson:

I am enclosed you a Boiler water I received this morning. It is not very hopeful.

Yours sincerely,

Pierce Neill.

September 13th, 1916

Mrs. S. J. McLean,

288 Daly Avenue,

Ottawa.

Dear Mrs. McLean:

I should like very much to help the Women's Canadian Club of Ottawa through you, especially when you are engaged in doing something for the Prisoners' Aid Work, but I am afraid that your request is one that I cannot comply with for the simple reason that I have no favorite quotation.

Sometimes it is "Grin and bear it"; at other times it is "All's well that ends well"; then I soar to heights of biblical thought and solace itself with a Psalm, but in the ordinary humdrum of life I am so unmetric as to pursue a pedestrian's course and the quotation that I call on to pull me out of a tight place depends upon the corner into which I find myself squeezed. You will, I hope, pardon me for not attempting to do the impossible even though it is to retain your goodwill.

With kind regards, I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.

May [illegible], 1917

[illegible],

[illegible] Sterling.

Dear [illegible]:

I have a letter from Sterling which has not [illegible] yet, but from [illegible] I imagine that I may come [illegible] you. [illegible] that I [illegible] perhaps [illegible] you. [illegible] interesting, if you think so, [illegible] letter, as to [illegible] I say that [illegible] owners of [illegible] active [illegible]. A [illegible] is [illegible] that those on active [illegible] should have [illegible] pay in advance in their former scientific [illegible], [illegible], [illegible] from their scientific salary [illegible] [illegible] say. But, except in a few instances this [illegible] [illegible] military salaries [illegible] military salaries [illegible] [illegible] students [illegible] receive enough pay.

I do not know what has happened in the large business companies except that I understand [illegible] are getting their places for them. If there is any further information that you wish I shall be glad to obtain it for you.

Yours sincerely,

President.

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May 9th, 1917.

President R. A. Falconer,
University of Toronto.

Dear President Falconer,

I called at the United States Consulate but was unable to get the pamphlets dealing with Chinese immigration which I had hoped to find there. I can only give the following from memory:-

The United States Immigration Department maintains an officer with the rank of Vice-Consul at the following places:- Canton, Hongkong, Shanghai and Yokohama (possibly at Peking also).

Chinese students desiring to enter the United States for purposes of study apply to the Immigration Officer at least thirty days in advance of proposed sailing.

Applicants are required to give name of college they propose to enter, length of time they expect to remain in the United States, and to explain how they are to be supported during their time in college. They are not allowed to work for money in the United States.

The Officer puts them through a searching examination to ascertain if they are qualified to enter college. As far as possible he verifies all their statements in regard to support, etc.

If satisfactory he provides them with a certificate, known as the "Section 6" certificate, to which a photo of applicant in attached.

All candidates are carefully examined by a duly appointed doctor. The doctor~~s~~ examines particularly for trachoma and hook worm.
The ship' doctor also examines the student before embarking as the Shipping Company has to return free of cost any one rejected at Port of Entry on medical grounds.

The United States Immigration Dept. has found it very important to have men of the best calibre as Officers abroad. Some years ago the Consul in the ports in the East attended to the Chinese applicants as one of many duties. It ~~is~~ was impossible to give proper attention to the matter and so many students got into the country fraudulently. Several unscrupulous Americans went into the business of getting Chinese into the country as students, who never intended to enter college. Cases have been found where Chinese paid several hundred dollars to

agents to get them safely entered. I have been informed on reliable authority that a college was maintained on the ~~East~~ Western coast for the sole purpose of receiving bogus students and giving them an opportunity to scatter throughout the country. It was a profitable financial venture for some time.

I think it will be evident that some scheme will have to be carefully devised to prevent fraud should the Government decide to admit students.

I should have stated that the Immigration Officers at the ports in the East are American college men and therefore are in a favourable position to examine and report on applicants.

It may be that the Government in considering the admitting of Chinese students into Canada should also consider other classes. The United States admits the following classes at least and perhaps others:-

Teachers
Students
Travellers for curiosity or pleasure
Merchants and their lawful wives and minor children
Chinese Government officials and their servants
Those desiring to enter in connection with a fair or exhibition authorized by the Government, either as exhibitors or workmen.

I am afraid the above statement is incomplete and poorly written but I believe it is correct as far as it goes. If there is any thing I can do on my return to Hongkong I shall be very pleased to do it.

Yours sincerely,

J. T. McGlynn

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May 10th, 1917

J. I. McPherson, Esq.,

National Council Y.M.C.A.,

15 Toronto Street, Toronto.

Dear Mr. McPherson:

Many thanks for your letter with regard to the regulations laid down by the American Government for the admission of Chinese students to the United States. They will, I know, be useful to us, and I will take them with me to Ottawa. As far as I remember the Act most of the other classes that you mention are already allowed entrance without the head tax.

With kind regards, I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.

Toronto May 27/17. 26

President Falconer.

President of University
of Toronto.

Dear Sir:- May introduce
to you W. J. Allan a member
of my congregation at Wychwood
Park.

His son J. F. has invented
a signaling disc that has been
approved by the Ottawa Board of
inventions but before it can be
used it must be passed by
the Imperial Board.

As the inventor is a graduate
of the University of Toronto in
the Faculty of applied science

who might benefit by it.

Hoping you may be able to grant Mr Allan an interview and your kind assistance in this matter

I am yours sincerely

W A Maclagan

Presbyterian Manse
Forres.

Mr Allan is desirous of obtaining the influence of this University in obtaining for his inventions a fair trial by the Imperial Board.

The boy is proud of his Alma Mater and no doubt the University would not be unwilling in any invention that might be instrumental in saving the lives of many of our men.

If the invention could be forwarded to the Imperial Board by the University at Mr Allan's expense, it would be a great favour indeed not only to him but the numbers

Southsea [illegible]

[illegible] Bostwick, Esq.,

[illegible],

[illegible].

Dear Mr. Bostwick:

I shall be glad to send you a copy of my [illegible] as soon as [illegible] you it back [illegible] "Dorothy". [illegible] to write to me [illegible] before [illegible]. [illegible] quite as [illegible], [illegible] will be different from the [illegible] [illegible]. [illegible] if you choose. [illegible] it. [illegible] what [illegible] it [illegible] it [illegible] it [illegible] as [illegible] [illegible].

Very [illegible],

[illegible]

President.

October 2nd, 1916.

President Falconer,

University of Toronto,

Toronto.

Dear President Falconer:

In any case we should be pleased to have on hand, a copy of your address, if you could send it to us after it has been returned to you.

Yours very truly,

Editor.

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June 25th, 1917

Mr. J. F. McTuers,

Business Secretary,

124 East 28th Street,

New York.

Dear Sir:

In the absence of Sir Robert Falconer I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 22nd inst. enclosing ninety-one cents in Canadian stamps.

Thanking you, I am,

Yours very truly,

President's Secretary.

June 5th, 1916

Charles A. Magrath, Esq.,

International Joint Commission,

Ottawa.

Dear Sir:

In the absence of President Falconer I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of June 3rd.

Under separate cover I am sending you a calendar of the Faculty of Applied Science, at the back of which is given a list of our Applied Science graduates and the positions they occupy.

I shall ask the Secretary of the Applied Science Faculty to prepare such a list as you ask for and send it to you directly.

Yours very truly,

President's Secretary.

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May [illegible], 1917

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My dear Sir:

Your letter of the 21st has remained unanswered because [illegible] with regard to your son I [illegible] [illegible] I [illegible] is likely to [illegible] a great many [illegible] [illegible] another year. Hitherto the Air Office [illegible] and fifth years to complete their course, but [illegible] action with regard to any of [illegible] this year. [illegible] it appears that it will [illegible] [illegible] is possible [illegible] United States, will urge all [illegible] know what the [illegible] to give you [illegible].

[illegible]

Yours sincerely,

President.

March 10th, 1917

Rev. C. H. Vale,

Oxford, N.S.

Dear Sir:

I have received the Foreign Veterinary Correspondence Bulletin. I have never heard of it. I only know that the Ontario Veterinary College at this city stands in very high repute. If you will correspond with Principal Grange of the Ontario Veterinary College he will be able to give you information.

Yours sincerely,

President.

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NEW YORK, Jan. 2nd 1917.

President Falconer,
Toronto University,
Canada.

Dear Sir:-

President Hibben writes that you gave a course of lectures on the critical study of the Bible at Princeton, and we are interested to know if you discussed the discrepancies mentioned in the "Age of Reason" and John E.Remsburg's books.

We enclose a copy of "People vs. the Holy Bible" and should be glad to hear whether the facts referred to are incorrect and the inferences fallacious.

Yours truly,

Edward Macdonald

Oxford. N.C. 197
Mar. 6th '17

To Pres.
The Univ of Toronto
Toronto Canada.

Dear Sir:-
Kindly tell me what is the standing of the London Veterinary Correspondence School in London Ontario Canada. I would appreciate a prompt reply.

Faithfully yours
Chas. H. Wade

January 4th, 1917

Mr. Atwood Manville,

62 Vesey Street,

New York, N.Y.

Dear Sir:

In my recent addresses at Princeton I made no mention of "The Age of Reason" nor of John E. Remsburg's books.

Yours sincerely,

President.

June 2nd, 1917

Mr. George J. Hart,

Woodstock, N.B.

Dear Mr. Hart:

I have to-day received your application for a Fellowship in English and History. We are having quite a number of applications but it will be necessary for us to make a selection as we have only a few Fellowships to distribute, and our endeavour will be to give them to those whose studies is highest, and who offer most promise. Your application will receive careful consideration. I will return the enclosed certificate as you request after we have arrived at a decision.

Yours sincerely,

President.

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Marsh.

April 16th, 1917

[illegible] Esq.,

[illegible] Chicago, U.S.

Dear Mr. [illegible]

I have just received your letter of April 9th. [illegible] I do not recollect Rev. [illegible] Vunroe of Boston. [illegible] my students, but I cannot place him, so that [illegible] be of any service to you. If I were to see [illegible] I [illegible] him, and it is rather remarkable to have [illegible] Possibly he was an Arts student and took some [illegible] Dalhousie University. That might account for [illegible].

We are all well, busy getting the University year [illegible], straining in order to let people do as much [illegible] as we can, and I am afraid that we are all pretty [illegible] that will come as a result of the great [illegible].

With kind regards, I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.

ROYAL MILITARY COLLEGE
OF
CANADA

Kingston, Ont. May 12th 1917.

My dear President Falconer.

I shall be very pleased if, during your visits to the R.M.C. as a member of the Board of Visitors, you will allow me to put you up at my house. My wife and family are away in England so that you need not feel that in accepting my offer you will be constrained to any confinement on account of your situation. Our habits are not considered quite suitable for our friends.

Yours very sincerely

Sam G. Martin

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May 15th, 1917

Professor Martin,

Royal Military College,

Kingston.

My dear Professor Martin:

It was very kind of you to ask me to be your guest during my visit to the Royal Military College as a member of the Board of Visitors, and I should be very glad to accept your kind invitation were it not that I have not heard from Ottawa as to any meeting.

If it were to be this week I could not go to Kingston as our Commencement is on Friday, and next week there is the meeting of the Royal Society and the Conference of the Universities in Ottawa. Perhaps, however, I shall get official notice before long.

With many thanks, I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.

ROYAL MILITARY COLLEGE
OF
CANADA

Kingston, Ont., May 21st 1917

My dear President Falconer -

I was under the impression that you were a member of the Board of Visitors this year and so I asked you to put up with me but your reply that you had received no notice of any meeting causes me much regret -. I hope, however that should you, in the meantime, receive a notice and you are able to come you will come to me. Personally I would very much like you to visit our College for we need much which you would be able to represent on our behalf most effectively.

Yours very sincerely

Sam Hughes

May 22nd, 1917

Professor I. F. Martin,

Royal Military College,

Kingston, Ont.

Dear Sir:

President Falconer went to Ottawa last night to attend the meetings of the Royal Society and the Universities' Conference, and expects to return to Toronto Friday morning when we expect a visit from the Right Honourable A. J. Balfour.

A notice came yesterday before he left from General Hodgins of Ottawa regarding the meeting of the Board of Visitors at Kingston, but he then thought he would be doubtful to attend.

Yours very truly,

President's Secretar

September 9th, 1916

Rev. R. Martin, D.D.,

Stratford, Ont.

Dear Dr. Martin:

Dean Pakenham has not yet returned from his vacation, and until he comes back I am afraid that there is no one who could take action with regard to the application for your daughter. I will, however, speak to him as soon as he returns about your daughter, and I am persuaded that he will do what he can. I imagine, however, that the regulations have been drawn up by the Department of Education and I am not sure what latitude Dr. Pakenham is allowed.

Yours sincerely,

President.

September 13th, 1916

Rev. Dr. R. Martin,

Stratford:

Dear Dr. Martin: I have just received the enclosed letter from Dean Pakenham's secretary. It does not seem to me to be very hopeful, and confirms my opinion as to the attitude that has been taken by the Department of Education. On Dr. Pakenham's return I will again take up the matter.

Yours sincerely,

President.

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[illegible] July 1911.

[illegible] A. [illegible] Esq.,
[illegible] President,
[illegible] University of [illegible].

Dear Dr. [illegible],

In reply to your letter [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] as for the full list of [illegible] for which I had previously [illegible] and I expect [illegible] it [illegible] [illegible] to write to you. I am rather sorry [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] I hear you were [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] a lecture just now. I hope however, I shall have the pleasure of seeing you when I visit the [illegible] in the fall.

I am not surprised to hear that your arrangements at the University are so upset, our English Universities are practically empty, last year I had only four students attended my lectures.

Thanks for your kind enquiries, Mrs. Mawson is improving herself rapidly and will take every care [illegible] and this is [illegible] the best thing for her.

Yours very truly,

Thomas H. Mawson

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May 2nd, 1917

Professor T. J. Week,

The James Millikin University,

Decatur, Ill.

Dear Dr. Week:

I am much interested in your letter , particularly in knowing that your University is responding so well to the call for military service. If your experience is like ours you will find that students will rally for such service probably better than any other class in the community. The fact that your trother has been most fortunate I am sure. He would give point to your recruiting.

With kind regards,

I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.

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May 12th, 1917

Mr. R. C. Menzies,

121c Yale Station,

New Haven, Conn.

Dear Sir:

I have received your application for a position in Trinity in the University of Toronto. There is no opening in Trinity and I will give your letter to the gentlemen connected with the Engineering College. I do not wish to hold out any assurance of an appointment.

I am,

Yours truly,

President.

May 3rd, 1917

Dean A. F. Wetzler,

Syracuse, N.Y.

Dear Dean Wetzler:

I am glad to get your letter and to know that the people in your locality are awakening to the situation into which the United States has been brought.

I think that it is premature to say that President McLean is leaving Manitoba. I hope that this will not be the case. I understand that the resignation of all the staff has been asked for but I was told on good authority about a fortnight ago that it is quite probable that President McLean will be retained. I notice that a new head of the Board of Governors has been recently appointed by the Government and I understand that he is a warm personal friend of President McLean. It would be a great tragedy in his life were it darkened by such a heavy cloud.

With kind regards, I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.

"DEEDS SPEAK"

The Women's Canadian Historical Society of Toronto

28 Heath St. East
Toronto, December 4th 1916

Dear President Falconer

Dr Primrose has very kindly promised to give an illustrated Lecture, "At a Base Hospital at Salonika", on behalf of the Red Cross funds of our Society, on Thursday Evening December the 14th, at 8 o'clock, which by the kindness of the University Authorities to whom we are greatly indebted will be held in the Physics. Building. Care will be taken on tickets, etc to announce this as being for our Red Cross work.

We shall be very much pleased & honoured if you will preside on that occasion, which, I am sure will be most interesting.

As you may not have seen it, I am sending with

"DEEDS SPEAK"

The Women's Canadian Historical Society of Toronto

Toronto, ... 19.....

this note, our last Transaction, which gives some particulars.

If unable to be present that evening, would it be too much to ask you to suggest a chairman for the occasion?

Anticipating that we may be fortunate in having you with us,

Very truly yours

J. Nickle

President - Women's Canadian Historical Society

December 4th, 1916

Miss Nickle,

President, Women's Canadian Historical Society.

Dear Miss Nickle:

I shall be glad to preside at the lecture on December 14th to be given by Dr. Primrose under the auspices of the Women's Canadian Historical Society in aid of the Red Cross.

Yours sincerely,

Franklin.

March 16th, 1917

Miss S. [illegible],

[illegible] Street E.,

Toronto.

Dear Miss [illegible]:

[illegible] for the tickets for Mr. Sharpe's [illegible] 24th, which you were kind enough to send me. I [illegible] I may be able to be present at the lecture, though I [illegible] I will be possible owing to the fact that [illegible] lecture the [illegible], and I may need all [illegible] and ready.

With kind regards, I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.

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Sun 5/17 Thornton R.R. 1

President Palmer
Toronto University

Dear Sir, I have received a letter of recent date from Spr J.R. Hamilton 5073165 2nd Canadian Div Signal Coy Fr—

Letting you that he has been asked to get a commission, and asking me to write to you in regard to it.

I do not know why he wished me to write to you unless it was that I might give you his character. I am his mother in law, and I have known him since he was a little boy, and can only speak of him in the best terms.

He entered University in Oct 1915. and enlisted about one year ago this month. He took his training, first at Ottawa, and finished at Shorncliffe, and has been at the front since September 1916.

We get letters from him every week, and he always says he likes his work.

If you find it convenient to take the matter in hand I will gladly give you any help I can. I remain sincerely

J. J. Leila
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January 8th, 1917

Mr. J. J. Miller,

R. R. 1,

Freeman, Ont.

Dear Sir:

[illegible] a letter [illegible] to of service [illegible], Hamilton is carrying for his commission.

Yours sincerely,

President.

January [illegible], 1917

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

This is to certify that Mr. J. F. Hamilton entered the University of Toronto in the autumn of 1915 with large cash [illegible] in [illegible] to the matriculation examination and was awarded the Joseph Flavelle Scholarship.

Mr. Hamilton was a student of high attainment, and was interested in the Spring of 1916 he was granted full standing as a third year student in Arts in this University. I should judge that Mr. Hamilton has all the academic qualifications necessary for a [illegible] in the Army.

President of the
University of Toronto.

November 23rd, 1916

J. N. Millar, Esq.,

Messrs Pugsley Dingman and Company,

Toronto.

Dear Mr. Millar:

Please accept my warm thanks for two cheques of one hundred dollars each, one from Messrs. Pugsley Dingman and Company, and one from Messrs. Lever Brothers Limited, both of which I know we owe to your generosity.

With kind regards, I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.

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R. A. Falconer.,

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President University of Toronto.

Will members of the staff who are citizen of the UnitedStates be paid half salary on enlistment in the army of the UnitedStates. Please advise me at eleven queens park.

W N Milliar

1247k

April 27th, 1917

Professor W. N. Millar,

Forestry Department,

University of Toronto.

Dear Professor Millar:

Those who enlist in the army of the United States will be allowed half pay in this University in the same manner as those who enlist in the British or Canadian army.

Yours sincerely,

President.

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TORONTO GENERAL HOSPITAL.

Toronto, January 10th, 1917.

Dear Sir:-

You will see from the enclosed letter that His Excellency the Governor General will visit the Toronto General Hospital at 3 p.m. on January 22nd. I am directed by the Vice Chairman to ask you to make a special effort to be present at that time.

Yours truly,

A. F. Miller

Secretary.

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February 10th, 1917

Rev. H. Miller,

Campbellton, N.B.

Dear Mr. Miller:

There is as yet no authorisation for the union of two self-sustaining Churches. All the information that bears upon the movement you will find in the small pamphlet which I am herewith enclosing. I hope that it may be of some service to you.

With kind regards, I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.

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69 St. George St.,
Toronto.

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C. C. [illegible], Esq.,

Natural Gas Research Foundation,

[illegible] Lincoln Building, [illegible].

Dear Sir:

[illegible]

[illegible]

Very truly yours,

[illegible]

November 23rd, 1916

G. G. Mills, Esq.,

Mutual Life Insurance Company,

Toronto.

Dear Sir:

German has never been a compulsory subject for Matriculation as far as I know. It is an option, and I do not think that we can abolish it as an option, though I am endeavouring to see what can be done to increase the emphasis that is placed on French in the schools throughout this Province.

Yours sincerely,

President.

M/R.

JAMES MILLS,
LIBRARIAN AND
SUPERVISING OFFICER

OTTAWA

October 16th, 1916.

My dear Professor Fletcher,-

I am enclosing a copy of a letter which I have sent my brother G. G. Mills, of Rosedale, Toronto; and, if you can spare a few minutes, I shall be pleased to have your views on the points at issue.

When you are done with the enclosed copy, you may hand it to President Falconer.

With warmest regards, I am

Very truly yours,

Jas. Mills.

Dr. John Fletcher,
Professor of Latin,
University College,
TORONTO, Ont.

Encl.

M/R. COPY.

October 13th, 1916.

My dear George,-

I wish to thank you for sending me full information regarding your correspondence with President Falconer in re the alleged Germanization of the University, with the unsufferable egotism and impudence of the German element and its sympathizers on the University Staff, as shown by the attack on the Principal of Harbord Street Collegiate Institute at the outbreak of the war.

Most of your points are well taken; but, like me, when you feel strongly you are apt to be rather severe, if not somewhat discourteous, in your vigorous onslaughts.

I agree with you in thinking that the time has come when our University should exact less German, and make reasonable provision for instruction in Russian, Japanese, and Chinese — the languages of the people with whom Great Britain and her Colonies, or Dominions, are likely to have commercial intercourse for some time to come.

The question regarding the pronunciation of Latin is somewhat embarrassing. There is no doubt that, with

the pronunciation now taught, Latin is of little value to students in the study of the English language; even a partial knowledge of Greek would be of greater value, especially to students in the numerous branches and departments of Science, and to persons engaged in more or less technical work of various kinds. If it is established, beyond question, that the pronunciation of Latin adopted and taught by the English people and their Universities, great and small, from 410 A.D. (when the Romans left Britain) till quite recently, was radically wrong, then I presume we should adopt and teach whatever is proved to be the correct pronunciation, however disagreeable it may sound to us. If it is not so established, I think we should continue to use and teach what has been known as the English pronunciation.

Hoping that the presentation of your views may have some effect at Head Quarters, I am

Very truly yours,

Jas Mills

G. G. Mills, Esq.,
Barrister, Etc.,
Mutual Life,
Lumsden Building,
TORONTO, Ont.

May 26th, 1917

I. A. Wylie, Esq.,

[illegible] Second Avenue West,

Vancouver, B.C.

Dear Mr. Wylie:

If you will send us forward an application for a Fellowship together with certificates from your professors and a letter from President Mashrook I will be glad to lay it before the Committee.

I hope to be able to have the awards of the Fellowships made before the end of June. We have already received several applications and it will probably be necessary to make a selection.

Yours sincerely,

President.

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June 11th, 1917

Mr. Lennox A. Mills,

801-808 Rogers Building,

470 Granville Street, Vancouver, B.C.

Dear Mr. Mills:

I am directed by President Falconer to acknowledge the receipt of your application and testimonials relating to a Graduate Fellowship. Your application will be considered along with others shortly.

Yours very truly,

President's Secretary.

[illegible], 1917

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[illegible] can be made.

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September [illegible], 1910

[illegible] Phillips,

P.S.[illegible]

[illegible],

[illegible].

Dear Brother Phillips:

[illegible] your letter [illegible] Conference [illegible] will [illegible] a Conference [illegible] will be [illegible]. It is the only reason that I cannot accept some [illegible] with. We all [illegible] safe and [illegible].

[illegible]

Walkerton.
Ontario.
5th April 1917

President R.A.Falconer. LL.D.
University of Toronto.

Dear President Falconer.

I have read your appeal in the Globe on behalf of the suffering Serbians & have made myself acquainted in some measure with the tragedy of their need by carefully studying the Serbian Relief literature I have been able to obtain.
My interest in Serbia has also been stirred by a letter recently received from a friend of mine in that country--- a young American Lawyer, a Yale Graduate , who volunteered for service in the Red Cross Department of the Serbian Army.
In consequence I am prepared -- if my services will be acceptable-- 'to do for the'Canadian Serbian Relief Fund' what I have been doing for the British Belgian Relief Fund during the last 6 months in Canada.
During this period I have preached & lectured in various parts of of Western Ontario& have collected for the fund some thousands of dollars without any remuneration except that the Fund has paid the entire expenses.
As a specimen of the work done I have selected the financial results of 5 recent Sundays showing the actual cash received to be $807.8[illegible] & the promises (most of which have already been remitted by the local Banks to the Treasurer) to be $3530.75. In addition I recently addressed a certain County Council & got them to make a grant of $1500 to the Fund.
The enclosed letters will testify to my bona fides.
Without asking for any remuneration for myself except perhaps a Thankoffering later or some other recognition , I am willing (instead of returning to England as was my intention at the close of my 6 months Belgian Relief Work)to devote the following months to Serbian Relief Campaign -- preaching, speaking & lecturing in Canada & the U.S. on the understanding that the [illegible] which I receive as the result of my appeals be equally divided between the Canadian Serbian Relief Fund & the CUBA MISSION of which I am the Honorary Director& which is in urgent need of funds for the development of its work. In addition the Canadian Serbian Relief Fund would receive the whole of the promises obtained by my Sunday services & at my week-night lectures.
The promises , as you will see from the enclosed list, have been largely exceed the actual cash receipts [illegible] decision [illegible] [illegible].
All expenses, including those connected with my week-night lectures to be paid monthly by the Canadian Serbian Relief Fund out of the cash receipts alone. Hence the Canadian Serbian Relief Fund would be under no financial obligation whatever .
I should however require a letter from yourself as President, recommending me to the Churches & the Canadian Public generally , also suitable literature, lantern slides, illustrations, [illegible] Serbian conditions, and certainly, Serbian Flag for use on my Stereopticon Reflector.
I will ask you to be good enough to grant this letter an [illegible].

[illegible] as the British Dalgh[illegible] Relief Work is concerned until I [illegible] the opportunity of seeing yourself or the Committee. This I shall be pleased to do if my suggestion is entertained, [illegible] make the journey to Toronto for the purpose.

[illegible]

Faithfully & fraternally yours

Wm C. Minifie

Gentlemen Members
Dec 4th 1916

The Rev Dr W. C Minifie recently delivered a lecture in our Town in behalf of the British, Belgian Relief Fund, & I have very pleasure in recommending him as a brilliant & entertaining speaker . He placed the condition of the Belgians before his audience in such a forcible & graphic manner that his appeal for assistance for these unfortunate people met with a hearty & generous response.

D. Jamieson,
Speaker, Legislative Assembly

The Vanguard Office.
London, E.C.
July 27 1916

This is to introduce the Rev W.C. Minifie of the Cuba Mission who is known to me as a Freeman of the City of London, & Assistant Chaplain of the National Guard. Any consideration shown him will be much appreciated.

G.C. Wakefield, Lord Mayor of London.

Cleveland House.
St James Square,
London.

I have much pleasure in introducing to you Rev Dr W. Minifie , Auxiliary Chaplain with the British Fighting Forces in France & Flanders who is making a short visit to Canada.
Any attention you may be able to show him or any help you may be able to render in connection with his important mission will be worthily bestowed & greatly appreciated by the Office of Canadian Chaplain Service Dept , G.H.Q.

J.H. MacDonald, Captain, For Director Canadian Chaplain Service.

The Cuba Mission.
Trafalgar Buildings,
Trafalgar Square
London.
15 August 1916

Permit me to introduce to you the Rev Dr Wm. C Minifie, F.R.G.S., Honorary Freeman of the City of London. One of the Chaplains of the City of London Guard, who is making a visit to your Country with the object of raising funds to carry on the work of the Cuba Mission of which he is the Director.
Dr Minifie was formerly Assistant to the World famous C.H. SPURGEON

enjoys an international reputation as preacher & lecturer, & you will certainly be well repaid if you sec re him for a Sunday service or week evening lecture.
As a Council we shall appreciate most gratefully any financial offerings you are able to arrange seeing that our needs are urgent & our funds exhausted .

Fraternally yours
J. Martin Littlejohn. D.D., S.D., LL.D

Dec 14 1916

At Stratford within Knox Church there on Tuesday Dec 12 1916 which day the Presbytery was met & constituted :-
Inter Alia:- The Rev Dr Minifie. F.R.G.S. Chaplain of the City of London Guards , representing the Federated Brotherhood, & lecturing in Canada & the United States with the approval & consent of the Imperial ~~AUTHORITIES~~ Government addressed the Court.
On motion of Dr Miller seconded by Mr Nicol Dr Minifie was given the hearty thanks of the Presbytery for an inspiring address & was heartily commended to the Congregations of the bounds where he will lecture in the interests of Belgian Relief
Signed J.D. Ferguson. Pres Clerk.

Extracted from the records
of the Presbytery of Stratford
at London this 14th day of Dec 1916

Office of the Christian
Paternoster Buildings
London
Sep 11th 16

I have pleasure in introducing my friend, Dr William C Minifie who is leaving for a lecturing tour in Canada & the United States, Dr Minifie has for years enjoyed a high reputation as a platform orator & his present repertory includes a Cinematograph War lecture ' With the British Fighting Forces in Camp & Field'
James W Thirtle LL.D.

Holstein. Ont March 1 1917

This certifies that Rev Dr Captain Minifie visited me & my congregations recently on behalf of the Belgian Relief Fund & we were delighted with him . He is a Presbyterian Minister of a high order & is highly commend d to the confidence of GODS people .
D.D. Marsh.
Minister of Holstein Presbyterian Church

Kindly permit me to introduce my friend, Dr Wm C Minifie .D.D to you He has a noble international aim. He is a magnificent speaker, a fine scholar, as a gentleman

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CABLES:
"CARBROOK, TORONTO"

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4 WELLINGTON STREET EAST
TORONTO, CANADA.

10th April. 1917.

Dear Mr. Falconer,

I have your letter of the 7th instant. I have never heard of Dr. Minifie before, and his letter precludes making inquiries from those who might be able to tell us something. Under all the circumstances, I do not think we could enter into any such arrangement as he proposes.

I return to you herewith the letter and enclosure which he sent to you.

Yours sincerely,

H. H. Smith

President Falconer,
University of Toronto,
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April 11th, 1917

Rev. A. C. Winitie,

Anderson, Ind.

Dear Sir:

As our Secretary-treasurer of the Persian Relief Commission, and I receive your letter as its Secretary and Treasurer of the Committee. We do not know, but I guess you do not in this letter, that the Persian Relief Committee could not meet any sooner on account of its personnel being scattered. Some of us elected you as a member of the Committee, but some friends thought we ought to divide treasurer and Secretary with Dr. Chas. Thomas. We have not officially notified you of your election, but we believe that it would not be necessary.

Yours sincerely,

President.

March 6th, 1917

J. W. Minns, Esq., B.A.,

Madoc.

Dear Mr. Minns:

I have not definitely heard as to the arrangements that are being made with regard to the women of the University who intend to take outdoor work on the fruit farms in the Niagara district. Miss Harvey, who I understand has been working at this department, was to have been here, but I was not at home when she called, and I have had no opportunity of finding out from her whether her definite plans are.

However, I will send your letter on to Mr. Hill-all through which we have been making our inquiries also regard to employment for the students, and I will see that forward it to whoever is now in charge.

Yours, truly,

President.

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May 21st, 1917

Mrs. Stanton Wisener,

Vineland Station, Ont.

Dear Madam:

The University of Toronto is not undertaking arrangements for placing any women during the present summer for agricultural work. Everything of this kind is being attended to by outside organisations.

Yours sincerely,

President.

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May 16th, 1917

Miss Mitchell,

1465 Lansdowne Avenue,

Toronto.

Dear Miss Mitchell:

I have gone over your marks with the Registrar and have looked into your case as fully as possible. As I told you the Examiners have not met with us, but I am afraid from our general question that the Committee would find it extremely difficult to make an exception in your case. I do not see, however, why you should not be entered in a Military Hospital for dietitian's work, the standard you have attained qualify you for that work even if you have not passed in English, and you could come up for your supplemental examination in English in the autumn, so that if you were that successful your marks would only be delayed for a season.

I regret very much that you have come short of your hopes, but this does not mean that your future is thereby imperilled.

Yours sincerely,

President.

On advice of Inspector Elliott I forward to you the following copies of letter and certificate, sent the Registrar of School of Science on accompanying date.

W.A.M.

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Letter & certificate

46 Albany Avenue,
Toronto, October 3, 1916.

A. T. Laing,
Registrar, Faculty of Applied Science,
University of Toronto.

Dear Sir,

On your advice, and under the stress of trying circumstances, I write you in reference to my standing as a student in your Faculty.

In October, 1915, I entered upon my second year in the Department of Architecture. During that year I completed all the work of the year up to two weeks prior to the final examination, but I was taken down with a severe attack of pleurisy, which confined me to my bed for five weeks at that time. Unfortunately however during my convalescence I was seized with a return of the disease which invalided me up to September.

During my second year 1915-16, I attended at least 90% of the lectures, and I took the only examination offered, namely, the Calculus, and obtained the highest mark in the Architectural Department, (this kindly verify by reference to the report) I should like also to add that during the year 1915-16 I obtained over 90% in my Architectural drafting.

In view of my standing during the year and also that I was prevented by illness from taking the final examinations of the year, as shown by the Doctor's Certificate in your possession, as well as by the one accompanying this letter, I feel justified in asking for a reconsideration of my case to the end that I may enter upon my work as a third year student. I do not ask charity but only simple justice.

Most respectfully yours,

W. A. Motland

C O P Y

James Brebner, Esq.,
Registrar, University of Toronto,
Toronto.

Dear Sir,

This is to certify that William Mollard, a student in the Department of Science, was ill for weeks with pleurisy, having had two severe attacks. He was unable to take his examinations last Spring and not sufficiently recovered to take them this Autumn.

SIGNED,

'BEVERLY J. MILNER' M. D., C. M.

328 Bloor Street West,
October 3rd., 1916.

May 2nd, 1917

Rev. D. L. Monjot,

598 Argyle Avenue,

Westmount.

Dear Sir:

I have to thank you for your letter suggesting the names of Professor Bieler, and Professor Villard, as gentlemen who in your judgment would be able to fill the position of head of the Department of French.

I am still making inquiries, and it has not yet been decided what action we shall take with regard to appointments in this department.

I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.

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PRESIDENT FALCONER

TORONTO UNIVERSITY TORONTO ONT

I AM REQUESTED BY THE PROVINCIAL EXECUTIVE OF THE NATIONAL UNITY WIN THE WAR CONVENTION TO INVITE YOU TO THE WAR DINNER WHICH WILL BE GIVEN WEDNESDAY EVENING MAY TWENTY THIRD IN MONTREAL WINDSOR HOTEL AND TO FURTHER EXPRESS TO YOU HOW MUCH WE WILL BE HONORED BY YOUR PRESENCE AT OUR CONVENTION WHICH OPENS MAY TWENTY THIRD HERE

EDMOND MONTET

SECRETARY WIN THE WAR CONVENTION WINDSOR HOTEL MONTREAL.

May 16th, 1917

Mr. Simon Mostet,

Secretary, Air the Air Convention,

Windsor Hotel, Montreal.

Dear Sir:

I have received your telegram cordially yours and invitation that I should be present at the Air the Air [illegible] on Thursday evening, May 24th in Montreal and to take part in the Convention. Thanking you for your invitation which I have to regret I may not have fully realized my time is fully occupied in [illegible] of the Royal Society and Institutes of the Conservation of the Dominion, which [illegible] on the 24th I have [illegible] a prior [illegible].

Yours sincerely,

President.

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January 4th, 1917

Professor Henry Montgomery,

56 Albany Avenue,

Toronto.

Dear Professor Montgomery:

I am sorry that you have not been well and that you were unable to be present at Dr. Loudon's funeral service. It was simple but impressive, and it was in the highest degree fitting that he should be carried forth from the heart of the old University to which he had given the best of his life.

I hope that your health will soon be very much better.

Yours sincerely,

President.

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President Falconer.

Dear Sir,

We beg to draw your at

FROM THE MONTREAL HERA

THE PRESBYTERIANS AND UNION.

The promoters of an anti-union meeting held in Montreal this week handed out for publication a telegram from Quebec conveying the intelligence that the Presbytery of Quebec had gone on record that "the present is not an opportune time to take the advanced step of organic union." Who are agitating in this matter at this time, the unionists or the anti-unionists? We have heard a great deal more noise against union than for it since the Winnipeg Assembly in June last. We have had two "mass" meetings in Montreal; we have had numerous gatherings in various parts of the country; we have had the famous "convocation" in Toronto when the solemn pledge and covenant were taken — all against union. We have not had a single "mass" meeting or "convocation" in Montreal in furtherance of union, since the war began, and we do not know of any being held anywhere, except in the regular courts of the church or at the diets of worship. The Winnipeg Assembly, at which so much criticism has been directed by those who ignore entirely the essentially Presbyterian requirement of respect for the courts of the church, decided, by a marvellously large majority, that organic union between the Presbyterians, Methodists and Congregationalists should come into effect one year after the close of the war. The other churches had declared their readiness years before. It remained but for the regularly constituted authority of the Presbyterian Church to declare itself. There were "filibusters" at the Assembly, however, and these "filibusters" have since been very busy in forming an amalgamation with the "pacifists" among the Presbyterians and we are treated to the spectacle of the "pacific-filibusters" doing all the fighting!

Our Methodist and Congregational friends should estimate not the campaign that these good men are carrying on by the noise that it makes. The great body of Presbyterians are ready for union a year after the war ends, although they regret that small groups of Presbyterians, here and there, will unfortunately stand aloof. Absolute unanimity is too much to expect. Nobody to-day regards the great Presbyterian merger in Canada as a mistake though many congregations remained out at the time of the formation of the Presbyterian Church in Canada. There is no disposition to coerce a single congregation or individual.

Each congregation will have an opportunity to vote as to whether ultimately it goes into the United Church of Canada or remains outside. It is important, however that, in the meantime, the impression should not become general either in or outside of the church, that the Presbyterians are weakening on the Union question. They are not and the opposition to union can only develop strength by influencing those who

fear cleavage. It is clear that what they call "disruption" cannot be avoided simply by following the zealous gentlemen who feel themselves called upon to advise the abandonment of what is to very many a direct call to service under conditions that favor the greatest forward movement in the history of Christianity in Canada.

Will you kindly advise me as to your views regarding it, at your earliest convenience.

With kindest regards.

Believe me

Yours fraternally.

W. H. Moorhouse.

P. S. I may say, that I am nearly 74 years of age, although hale & hearty, in every respect & still in active practice. Were I a younger man, I would not hesitate to take up the research work necessary to write the Thesis.

W. H. Moorhouse, B.A., M.B.
249 Queen's Avenue
London, Ont.

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March 27. 1916.

Dr A. Primrose.
Secy. Faculty of Medicine.
Toronto University
of Toronto. Ont.

Dear Doctor Primrose: I am anxious to get the M. D. degree, and am applying to you for advice in the matter, as you are the Secretary of the Faculty of Medicine.

I graduated in Medicine at Trinity University in April 1874 with honors in all subjects. Taking the M. B. degree, I have led such a busy life ever since, that I neglected to proceed to the M. D. degree.

In June 1874, I went to London and attached myself to St. Thomas Hospital, where I remained for years.

I then went to Edinburgh & at-
-tended the Royal Infirmary
& followed closely the Clinics of the
then Mr. Joseph Lister who was,
at that time, attracting attention.
Here I remained for some time,
taking the examination, successfully,
for the L.R.C.S & L.R.C.P. degrees.

I then returned to Canada &
located in London Ont., (after taking
the Ont. Med. Council), in Nov.
1875. Where I have been engaged
in active practice ever since.

I was Dean of the Faculty of
Med. Western University, for 14
yrs. also Vice Chancellor of the
University for several years.
Also I represented the Western University
as the Ont. Medical Council for
14 yrs, & President of that body
in the 1905 & 1906.

I must apologise for this
long discourse about myself,
but my reason for so doing
is that I do not feel, at my time
of life, like doing original research work,
in order to write a thesis to present
-to the University, as required.

I would therefore ask you to
present my case, as above
given, to the Faculty of Medicine
& ascertain whether they could
feel free to grant me the
Degree of M. D. without the pre
-sentation of the Thesis, which
is usually required, I, of course
paying all the usual fees.

I do not wish you to feel ~~that~~
compelled to bring this before the
-Faculty for consideration, should
you consider it, at all, unlikely to
be granted.

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11.8.16

Merrisburg Coll. Inst.
Aug. 9th 1916.

Pres. R A Falconer
Toronto

Dear Sir.

I have just returned home from attendance at the Summer School of Physical Culture, held in connection with the University Extension Movement.

I write to thank you for the kindness shown to the students of the summer course. The three evening lectures, the excursions to Niagara and Guelph, and the course itself, all deserve our thanks.

Physical Culture, as taught by Dr. Barton is a most excellent course. To me it was a holiday with an inspiration, plenty of work but no drudgery.

Life in the residences, with meals at the University Dining Hall, was pleasant and comfortable even during the

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President Falconer

Toronto University

Toronto Ont.

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I am advised my son Neil F Morrison expelled for taking part Hazing freshness have reliable information he had very little to do connection with matter Satisfied if you give him personal interview he can explain to your satisfaction, treatment seems very harsh for small offence

James D Morrison

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November 15th, 1916

James S. Morrison, Esq.,

Fort Arthur, Ont.

Dear Sir:

I received your telegram this morning. The discipline in the matter of the offence in which your son participated rests with University College of which Principal Sutton is head. The College Council did not expel your son along with the others for their part in the razing, but simply suspended them until the end of the term. The Council, however, has modified its sentence by allowing the students to take their examinations and so save the work of this part of the year if they can pass, and if your son's case arrangements have been made correctly he will have a fair chance of passing the examinations.

I am sorry that I cannot agree with you that it was a small offence. The University has for a long time endeavoured to prevent razing, and we are strongly of opinion that at a serious time like the present if students are to be here they should observe the rules of the institution. Unfortunately in offences of this kind often it happens that the less guilty are punished for the more guilty.
I hope that if your son works well he will be able to make his year.

Yours sincerely,

President.

extreme weather. It seemed to me that if the financial side of that matter could have been handled at the Dining Hall, such an arrangement would have added still further to our comfort.

Trusting that you will not think that I have troubled you needlessly by this letter

I am yours sincerely,
Selkirk A. [illegible]

January [illegible], 1917

G. A. Morrow, Esq.,

Dominion Securities Company,

Toronto.

Dear Mr. Morrow:

You were kind enough to send me a cheque of [illegible] as a result of Mr. H. S. Wood's application to the work of the University Settlement. Or the cheque itself, however, you have it to the order of "The University of Toronto". Would you be kind enough to make it to the order of "The University Settlement"?

Sincerely yours,

[illegible]

Yours sincerely,

[illegible]

June 2nd, 1917

Private and Confidential.

Professor A. [illegible] Norton,

Care Executive Department, Ottawa.

Dear Professor Norton:

An application was sent to Dr. C. A. Mitchell, F.R.S., for a fellowship in economic entomology. Could you give me any information which we may keep on file and which is to cost to a fellowship committee on Dr. Fife? I may say that we have a number of applications from all over the Dominion and we want to control so in the best we can with the few fellowships that are at our disposal. I am also writing to President Murray.

With kind regards, I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.

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January 11th, 1917

Lieutenant Colonel J. F. Moss,

[illegible] Horse.

Dear Colonel Moss:

I have to thank you for a copy of the 4th Mississauga Horse Year Book with its record of contributions to the Canadian Expeditionary Forces. In the various draft that have been sent to the front you have a record of which you may well be proud. I hope that you will have in the coming year many recruits.

Yours sincerely,

President.

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January 27th, 1917

Thomas Mulvey, Esq., K.C.,

Under Secretary of State,

Ottawa.

Dear Sir:

I shall be glad to distribute copies of the Report of the Committee on Alleged German Atrocities recommended by His Majesty's Government and presented over by the Right Honourable Viscount Bryce. Will you kindly send fifty copies.

Yours sincerely,

President.

January 22nd, 1917

Rev. Eric Lewidzestert,

Little Current, Ont.

Dear Sir, Lewidzestert:

I am very glad to give you some data which I think would tend more to prevent or close the Universities during the war. In the first place, in the remote contingency, the closing of the Universities would be a paralyzing blow and that complete recovery would take many years. Most of the staff would seek other employment, and would required held open positions perhaps in the United States, and with England and Canada depleted of their young men it would be almost impossible to replace them for a long time.

The buildings would be used for other purposes, probably for hospitals. These would not be vacated at the close of the war, because there would be no buildings to contain the sick soldiers, and it is doubtful whether we could have the Universities open until a year after the proclamation of peace. The Government would not save a very great deal of money, because they would still have to maintain these buildings and pay most of the staff.

A very large number of women, many of them the very finest of our people, would have to go elsewhere to get an education, and we would lose them. Also, many young men, who are physically unfit, would either have to do without an education or go elsewhere, for I doubt whether in either case their services would be very greatly required during the winter for munition making or agriculture. Now

they have the summer free for both when they are most needed.

Also, young students under the military age are able with the Universities open to get a beginning made. If the war were to continue we should certainly need to supply a certain number of professional people, particularly in Medicine, and for the schools, to say nothing of the Church. Nor can we do without engineers.

The deflection of our educational system would be so great that we should not get over the effects of it for a long time, and I do not think we would be sending so many men to the front with the Universities being closed as we do now with them open, for we have been great recruiting centres. Students who will not enlist after the pressure that has been brought to bear upon them here, certainly would not enlist in their homes in the country.

The information that I have from England shows that they have kept their Universities going. Never in the history of England have so many women been studying. The women's Colleges are full, and there are far more in Medicine than ever. Also, the number of freshmen in the Provincial Universities is large, chiefly made up of boys under age and the physically unfit. The medical schools also, and even the technical institutions, have more students than was expected. In all the average in peace time is 45,000 students in Britain. During the present session there are 23,000 in attendance, 14,000 women and 9,000 men. As was well said by an English statesman "we must keep our lines of educational communication open between the present and the future".

I hope to be able to read your article before I send off this letter to you. With kind regards, I am,

Yours sincerely,

The Janet Carnochan Chapter
I.O.D.E.

President Falconer,
Toronto University,

My dear sir, —

I could
not find it
possible since
your kind letter
to give an ad-
dress, outside —
Toronto Trade —
to the members
of our Chapter —

[illegible]

Will you kindly [illegible]

[illegible]

Yours very sincerely,

[illegible]

Secretary.

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December 15th, 1916

Miss D. F. Munro,

The Janet Carnochan Chapter I.O.D.E.,

86 Howard Street,

Toronto.

Dear Miss Munro:

How would Thursday, the 18th January, suit you for an address for the Janet Carnochan Chapter ?

I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.

of the Canadian
Academy of Music,
I shall be Rd.,
which they have
kindly given
me for that occa-
sion.

Yours sincerely,

[illegible]

[illegible]

The Janet Carnochan Chapter
I.O.D.E.

86 Howard St.,
Toronto,
Jan. 13, 17.

My dear President Falconer,

We are looking forward with much pleasure to your address on Friday evening January the nineteenth, to the women in Convocation Hall.

New York, Sept 1[illegible]

Dr. R. M. Falconer,
Pres. Tor. Conv.

Dear Sir.

Our Committee will meet on Sat. Sept 9th to complete our program for the Institute on Oct 9th & 20th.

Will you send topic on which you will speak on we place programme in the printing [illegible]

[illegible]

September 9th, 1916

A. Murro, Esq.,

Woodstock, Ont.

Dear Sir:

The President has just returned and asks me to say that as yet he has not decided upon the subject of his address to the Teachers in Woodstock. If you will let me know the latest date on which you can insert the title into your programme he will endeavour to send you the subject.

Yours very truly,

Secretary.

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Woodstock. Sept 11/16

Chas. A. H. Patterson
Toronto.

Dear Sir.

Yours of the 8th to hand.
And in reply would say that our programmes will be sent into the printers hands on Saturday next or Monday at the latest. So that they may be ready for mailing about three weeks before the Institute meets.

Sincerely yours
[illegible]

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September 12th, 1916

A. Munro, Esq.,

Woodstock, Ont.

Dear Sir:

I am directed by President Falconer to say that he will be unable to give you the title of his address, and if you will please put on your programme "Address" . He has not yet chosen the subject and will not have time to touch it for ten days or two weeks at least.

Yours very truly,

Secretary.

October 11th, 1910

A. Keith, esq.,

Oxford Terminal Institute,

Lewisham, Ont.

Dear Dr. Keith:

I have had the most compelling invitation to be held in Lewisham on Tuesday of next week - all in the P.M. Night service then in the afternoon as a visitor, and arrive at Lewisham in the neighborhood of half past six o'clock.

I think that it will be necessary for me to remain over the night and to return on the first train in the morning.

I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.

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June 29th, 1917

[illegible] Murray, Esq.,

Canadian Manufacturers Association, Toronto.

Dear Mr. Murray:

There was a meeting held in Toronto some time ago as you may be aware of consisting of representatives emanating from Ministers to initiate a national movement for giving moral instruction to our school children. I was requested to choose some groups of individuals who might be interested in the study of the question, it being recognised that if any Convention were to be held in the Dominion it should be prepared for by a certain measure of intensive study on the part of those who are interested.

[illegible] fully recognised, however, during the last few weeks that I have neglected the formation of these groups and I have not yet decided in the matter. In any case I doubt whether until the course of [illegible] could be done. I will [illegible] consider the formation of these groups and if you would like to join one of them I should be glad to include your name.

Yours sincerely,

President.

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September 9th, 1916

Mr. T. H. Murray,

Drexel Institute,

Philadelphia, Pa.

Dear Mr. Murray:

Accept my thanks for the copies of my address, both those which I received at Huntsville and those which you have forwarded to me here. I congratulate you on the form in which it has been got out. It seems to me to be admirable.

Yours sincerely,

President.

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"Dorgormar"
Barrie Ontario 13th 1917

Rev & Dear Sir

I have a young son who is fifteen years of age, too young for the Army but eligible for the Royal Naval College at Halifax, so far as age is concerned providing he can pass the Civil Service Examinations next month. He is a student at the B. Collegiate Institute, but is hardly advanced enough for such an examination without being coached. His teachers are really too busy to take him apart and give the necessary training in the short time before the examinations take place. Could you suggest any person or persons in Toronto, who would undertake to give him a fortnight or more's training in the following subjects :- Elementary Science : Geometry Latin, French and perhaps History. He would go to Toronto for the purpose. Any advice or suggestion will be deeply appreciated. In conclusion I beg to apologise for this intrusion and beg to remain

Yours truly
H. B. Myers.

Robt A. Falconer
President of the
Toronto University, Toronto

Miss Lindsell
Spadina Ave
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April 16th, 1917

R. P. Myers, Esq.,

Barrie.

My dear Sir:

I should recommend your son to apply to Miss Waddell, 655 Spadina Avenue. She is a very competent tutor in all the subjects you mention except History, and she would, I believe, be able to secure some one who would be able to tutor your son in that subject. Miss Waddell is a graduate of this University who has done a great deal of teaching of this kind.

Yours sincerely,

President.